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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)
Takahiko KONDO et al.	) Group Art Unit: 1771
Application No.: 10/550,005	) Examiner: Victor S. Chang
Filed: September 23, 2005	) Confirmation No.: 5730
For: MICROPOROUS POLYETHYLENE FILM	) ) )

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

## RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

In reply to the Office Action (election requirement) dated December 14, 2006, Applicants request reconsideration of this application in view of the following amendments and remarks:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper starting on page 2.

Remarks/Arguments follow the amendment sections of this paper.